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OPTICAL TRANSMISSION APPARATUS AND METHOD WHICH ADJUST RISE AND For:

FALL TIME OF SIGNAL LIGHT TO BE TRANSMITTED

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